A Guide to Our Primary Care Providers
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Choosing a Primary Care Provider

It might be helpful to think of a primary care provider (or PCP) as the conductor of a large orchestra. He or she is the doctor who will manage and coordinate all of your health care needs. He or she may call upon other services and specialists as needed to support your medical needs.

As a patient of Facey Medical Group, you are free to select any of the Family Medicine, Internal Medicine or Pediatric specialists who are Board Certified primary care providers. You will probably want to select a doctor at the Facey location, which is most convenient for you and your family.

Our physicians may periodically close or open their practice to new patients. Please call us to make sure the physician you have chosen is currently accepting new patients. If you need help in selecting a doctor, please refer to the biographical data listed in this directory or call our Patient Liaison office at the Facey location of your choice:

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<td>Valencia 1</td>
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<td>Canyon Country</td>
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Facey makes every effort to accommodate your needs and requests including requests for changing doctors. Should you wish to change a Facey primary provider for any reason, please refer back to the physician listing or call the Patient Liaison Office.

Facey Urgent Care Centers

Facey operates Urgent Care Centers at our Mission Hills and Vanelcia locations. These clinics are designed for people who suffer a sudden unexpected illness, minor injury or otherwise need to see a doctor immediately.

Patients are seen on a walk-in basis according to the medical reason for their visit (patients with severe problems are seen first).

As a reminder, you should always call 9-1-1 if you have a medical emergency.

Use Urgent Care For:
- Non life-threatening illness or accidents
- After hours care or when your doctor is unavailable
- When directed to do so by the Facey physician on-call

Do NOT Use Urgent Care For:
- Routine physician appointments
- Vaccinations or flu shots
- Annual physical exams
- Prescription refills
- Medical emergencies
### Address:
191 South Buena Vista Street, Suite 100
Burbank, CA 91505
(818) 869-7600

### Office Hours:
Monday - Friday: 8:30am - 5:30pm

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<td>Family Medicine - Board Certified</td>
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<td><strong>Ileana Shaw, M.D.</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Lauren Lubin, M.D.</strong></td>
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**Felizardo Gaxiola, M.D.** - not accepting new patients - Practicing in CA Since: 4/10/2010

**Specialty:** Family Medicine - Board Certified  
**School:** University of Guadalajara - Guadalajara Jalisco, Mexico  
**Residency:** Northridge Hospital Medical Center Residency Program  
**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Ana Lopes, M.D.** - not accepting new patients - Practicing in California Since: 9/14/2007

**Specialty:** Family Medicine - Board Certified  
**School:** Tufts University - Boston, MA  
**Residency:** University of Miami  
**Languages:** English, Spanish, Portuguese, Creole

**Daniel Belayneh, M.D.** - not accepting new patients - Practicing in CA Since: 11/6/2009

**Specialty:** Family Medicine (adults only) - Board Qualified  
**School:** Jimma Health Science University - Jimma, Ethiopia  
**Residency:** Loyola-Provident Health System - Cook County, IL  
**Languages:** English

**Angela Singh, M.D.** Practicing in CA Since: 12/6/2003

**Specialty:** Family Medicine (adults only) - Board Certified  
**School:** Ross University School of Medicine – Dominica, West Indies  
**Residency:** Summa Barberton Hospital – Barberton, OH  
**Languages:** English

**May Thu Lwin, M.D.** – starts 10/01/2017 - Practicing in CA Since: 9/28/2016

**Specialty:** Family Medicine (adults only) - Board Qualified  
**School:** Mandalay Institute of Medicine – Mandalay, Myanmar  
**Residency:** PIH Health– Whittier, CA  
**Languages:** English, Hindi, Burmese

**Erik Davydov, M.D.** Practicing in CA Since: 7/17/1998

**Specialty:** Internal Medicine – Board Certified  
**School:** Dartmouth Medical School, New Hampshire  
**Residency:** Loma Linda Univ. Medical Ctr. – Loma Linda, CA  
**Languages:** English, Russian

**Noel Flores, M.D.** – starts 9/11/2017 - Practicing in CA Since: 10/11/1995

**Specialty:** Internal Medicine – Board Certified  
**School:** Cebu Institute of Medicine  
**Residency:** University of Illinois at Chicago  
**Languages:** English, Tagalog

**Ali Gamini, M.D.** Practicing in CA Since: 07/2009

**Specialty:** Internal Medicine – Board Certified  
**School:** Shiraz University of Medical Sciences  
**Residency:** St. Mary’s Hospital/Yale University – Waterbury, CT  
**Languages:** English, Farsi
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<td>Andrea Sanchez, M.D.</td>
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**Mission Hills - Pediatrics**

**Address:**
11333 N Sepulveda Blvd  
Mission Hills, CA 91345  
(818) 365-9531

**Office Hours:**  
Monday – Friday: 8:30am – 5:30pm

**Pediatric Extended Hours:**  
Monday – Thursday: 5:30pm – 8:00pm

**Urgent Care Hours:**  
Monday – Friday: 9:00am – 8:30pm  
Saturday, Sunday & Holidays: 8:00am – 5:30pm

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**Northridge**

**Address:**
9111 Corbin Ave • Northridge, CA 91324
(818) 743-5700

**Office Hours:** Monday: 8:30 a.m. - 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday - Friday: 8:30am – 5:30pm

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<td><strong>Fausto Cordero, M.D.</strong></td>
<td>Family Medicine – Board Certified</td>
<td>University of California at Davis</td>
<td>Northridge Hospital Medical Ctr. – Northridge, CA</td>
<td>English, Spanish</td>
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<td>Family Medicine – Board Certified</td>
<td>University of California at San Francisco</td>
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<td><strong>Viviana Ionescu-Tiba, M.D.</strong></td>
<td>Family Medicine – Board Certified</td>
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<td><strong>Marie Salcedo, D.O.</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Elizabeth Evans, M.D.</strong></td>
<td>Pediatrics &amp; Pediatric Nephrology – Board Certified</td>
<td>Univ. of Utah, School of Medicine - Salt Lake, UT</td>
<td>UCLA Medical Center, W. Los Angeles, CA</td>
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<td>6/6/2011</td>
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<td>Elise Kwon, M.D.</td>
<td>Internal Medicine &amp; Endocrinology – Board Certified</td>
<td>Yonsei University – Seoul, Korea</td>
<td>Albert Einstein College of Medicine – Bronx, NY</td>
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<td>Internal Medicine, Critical Care &amp; Pulmonary Diseases – Board Certified</td>
<td>Tulane University – New Orleans, LA</td>
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<td>Jong Charles Lee, M.D.</td>
<td>Internal Medicine &amp; Pediatrics – Board Certified</td>
<td>Finch University of Health Sciences – Chicago, IL</td>
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<td>Internal Medicine – Board Certified</td>
<td>University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA</td>
<td>Wadsworth V.A. Hosp./UCLA, W. LA., CA</td>
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<td>Alaleh Sareh, M.D.</td>
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<td>St. George’s University School of Medicine – Grenada</td>
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David Chien, M.D.  
Practicing in CA Since: 7/2/2003  
Specialty: Pediatrics – Board Certified  
School: Boston University School of Medicine – Boston, MA  
Residency: Harbor/UCLA Medical Center – Hawthorne, CA  
Languages: English, Chinese (Mandarin)  

Tanya Collins, M.D.  
Practicing in CA Since: 5/10/2002  
Specialty: Pediatrics – Board Certified  
School: SUNY – Buffalo School of Medicine – Buffalo, NY  
Residency: Univ. of Maryland Medical System – Baltimore, MD  
Languages: English  

Nivruthi Vangala, M.D.  
Practicing in CA Since: 3/02/2012  
Specialty: Pediatrics – Board Certified  
School: American University of The Caribbean – Saint Maarten  
Residency: Harbor/UCLA Medical Center – Hawthorne, CA  
Languages: English, Spanish  

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**Address:**
18133 Ventura Blvd, Suite 204  
Tarzana, CA 91356  
(818) 466-7700

**Office Hours:**
Monday - Friday: 8:00am - 5:30pm

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**Daniel Lewis, M.D.**
- **Practicing in CA Since:** 10/22/1999
- **Specialty:** Internal Medicine – Board Certified
- **School:** University of California at Los Angeles
- **Residency:** New York University Medical Center
- **Languages:** English

**Jeffrey Shukman, D.O.**
- **Practicing in CA Since:** 12/31/2014
- **Specialty:** Internal Medicine
- **School:** Midwestern University – Glendale, AZ
- **Residency:** Cedars-Sinai Medical Center
- **Languages:** English, Russian

**Jayvee Regala, M.D.**
- **Practicing in CA Since:** 07/01/2001
- **Specialty:** Pediatrics – Board Certified
- **School:** Chicago Medical School (UHS)
- **Residency:** UCLA Medical Center (pediatric program)
- **Languages:** English, Tagalog

**Mina Moussavian-Assadi, M.D.**
- **Practicing in CA Since:** 05/06/2011
- **Specialty:** Pediatrics – Board Certified
- **School:** University of Montpellier – Montpellier, France
- **Residency:** Monmouth Medical Center – Long Branch, NJ
- **Languages:** English, Farsi, French

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<td>American University of Beirut - Lebanon</td>
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<td>Family Medicine - Board Certified</td>
<td>Western University of Health Sciences - Pomona, CA</td>
<td>Downey Regional Medical Center – Downey, CA</td>
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<td>Rebecca Patterson-Judd, M.D.</td>
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<td>Hahnemann Univ., Sch. of Medicine - Philadelphia, PA</td>
<td>Univ. of Maryland Med. Syst. - Baltimore, MD</td>
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